(c) Yes, Sir. There were a few cases of violation of our airspace by Chinese craft.. Protests have been lodged.

Misrepresentation of shares offered by Andhra Prabha Pvt. Ltd.

2584. SHRI SHANKER SINH VAGHELA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Shri B. D. Goenka, the Managing Director of M/s. Andhra Prabha Pvt. Ltd. held out to the Indian Bank that the shares offered, by way of security were his own but in the balance sheet these were declared to be be longing to M/s. Express Newspapers Pvt. Ltd. Madras, during early 1967; and

(b) if so, what action has ben taken in the matter?

THE-MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) The Indian Bank have reported that no advance was sanctioned to Shri B. D Goenka on the basis of a misrepresentation that shares belonging to M/s. Express News papers Pvt. Ltd. were his own.

(b) Does not arise.

FERA violations by Shri L. M. Thapar

2585. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: . Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state: •

(a) whether it is a fact that the Enforcement Directorate nas_ issued notice/memorandum to Shri L. M. Thapar regarding clandestine commission he got for the purchase of edible oil amounting to near about Rs.. 200 crores by STC between 1982 to 1966 from Louis Dreyfus Company based in USA, if so, details thereof;

(b) whether this clandestine commission was estimated around Rupees two and half crores on the basis of one and quarter per cent commission agreed upon between Thapar's Be-*naml* Company, namely M/s. P. Nooruddin and Louis Dreyfus Companies on the purchase by STC from Louis Dreyfus Company;

(c) whether it is also a fact that , above mentioned commission amounting to Rs. two and half crore were deposited in London with Mr. L. M. Thapar's nephew Adarsh Saran of-James Greaves and Co., a subsidiary . of Greaves Cotton India, Chaired by Shri L. M. Thapar, if so, details thereof; and

(d) whether M/s. Nooruddin Com pany was operating as *Benami* com mission agent of' Shri L. M. Thapar as the clandestine representatives of Shri L. M. Thapar?-

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BRAHM DUTT): (a), and (b) A Show Cause Notice for non-repatria-t tion of commission of Rs. 2, 42, 17, 000. 00 has been issued t° Shri L. M. Thapar, M/s. P. No«ruddin & Co. and. M/s. Ballarpur Industries Ltd.

(e) At present, there is no evidence to prove this contention.

(d) Investigations made by the Directorate of Enforcement revealed that M/s. P. Nooruddin & Co. was operating as *tfenami* commission agent of Shri L. M. Thapar and M/s. Ballarpur Industries Ltd. 'In this connec tion, a Show Cause Notice has been issued.

Violation of FERA provision by Thapar Group

2586. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to answer to Starred Question 13 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 4th 'November, 1986 and state:

(a) what is the amount involved in each irregularity/violation of FERA by Thapar Group of industries; and

(b) whether it is a fact that the benefit of amnesty scheme is available